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OYEN, ALBERTA, WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 1918.

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**THE TIME IS NOW**  
The place is--  
**The Acheson Hardware Co.,**  
For Screen Doors and Window  
Screens.  
We have Coal Oil Stoves to suit every body.  
Make wash day a play day by purchasing a  
**Marswell Vacuum Washer**  
**Agents For Fairbanks-Morse**  
**Engines and Red Jacket Pumps**  
**See Our Blacksmith Outfits**  
Get Your Formaline Early  
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To prepare for the Fly. If you need new  
**Screen Doors and Windows,**  
**Fly Swatters or Screen Wire Cloth,**  
WE HAVE THEM.  
The hot weather is here, protect yourself  
by getting one of our  
**New Perfection or Jewel Oil Stoves**  
Come in and let us demonstrate.  
**QUALITY AND SERVICE**  
**Oyen Hardware Co., Ltd.**

**ATTENTION**  
GENTLEMEN:—We have just unpacked a New  
Shipment of Pipes and feel sure we can satisfy  
your tastes in that line of goods.  
There are sure some Dandies!  
**See the New Italian Kola Pipe at only**  
**\$1.50 each**  
These are easily worth \$2.00

We have also the famous G.B.D., Chesterfield  
and Wellington brands in many shapes. There  
are still a few Good Person's in stock—pick  
them up while you have the chance. They are  
going fast!

Latest War Bulletins will be posted daily in  
**Oyen Billiard Hall**

## Locals And Personal

BORN—To Mr and Mrs. F. A. Pope,  
of Oyen, on Sunday, April 7,  
a daughter.

A report from Washington states  
that the American army will have  
three million, five hundred thousand  
men in France this year. No wonder  
that the German newspapers warn the  
government that they must be victi-  
mous before full American forces ar-  
rive.

According to latest reports China  
is planning to send four hundred thou-  
sand men to the Western front this  
year.

Mrs. A. G. Sheppard, of Calgary, is  
the guest of Mr. Taylor, Mr. J. W.  
Crockett, Mrs. Sheppard's husband, re-  
turned with a Calgary regiment and  
left for overseas about three weeks  
ago.

Mrs. J. Dunc, who has been visit-  
ing at Swallow, Alta., during the winter,  
returned to their farm south of  
Exel last week.

The store recently occupied by C.  
E. Beaulieu, in being re-  
vated up will be used for a bakery.

The C. P. Johnston's clothing store  
is holding a big spring clothing sale  
for ten days only. Call and see the  
great bargains.

Miss F. Billings, who was teaching  
on the staff of the Bank of Toronto  
here, is now teaching at the Superior  
school.

The Rockdale Local U.P.A. are in-  
tending to hold a grand picnic in the  
Spring Valley school on Friday, May  
24.

Messrs. Beckman and Fitzsimmons,  
of Oyen, returned from a tour last  
Friday.

We understand that Mike Nettie,  
of Cappon has made a big showing on  
his land this spring, having secured  
more land this year than any previous  
year. That's right, "Mike" keep it  
up. The country needs it all.

P. E. Trevis, who was up before  
the Military Medical Board at Calgary  
last week, was placed in Class 2. Mr.  
Trevis has enlisted in the Engineer-  
ing Corps, and will leave to join his  
regiment on the 15th of this month.

No wonder the auto business is  
good. A man will watch five autos  
chasing and peep pedestrians, and he  
gets a yearning to get a machine and  
enjoy the sport himself.

J. Howard Alexander made a busi-  
ness trip last week to Delisle, Sask.

Unreserved auction sale of one hun-  
dred head of horses at Rotunda ranch,  
section 10-24-5, 28 miles south and 9  
miles west of Oyen, on Tuesday, May  
21.

R. E. Pugh left for points in South  
Dakota, where he will visit relatives.

Alex Maasie, who was visiting his  
mother, who was ill, during the win-  
ter, received word of her death, which  
occurred on the 21st of March, at  
Campbellford, Ontario.

R. M. Jones left last week for his  
home at Clarkston, Washington.

Mr. Lott, of Hanna, is now assist-  
ing at the Johnston Clothing Store  
during their big reduction sale.

Owners of cars with licence num-  
bers 20108 or 20110 kindly call at my  
office.—Roy Clemens.

Messrs. O. Kilborn, M. Kilborn,  
Lloyd Bishop, Joe Maynard and E.  
Barnes of Exel district have received  
notice from the Military authorities  
to appear in Calgary for medical ex-  
amination on May 22nd.

The Oyen Tennis players visited the  
Tennis Court at Exel on Friday  
evening last.

T. J. Kennedy of Exel purchased  
the south east quarter of section 26,  
27-5 from Ed. Hogan.

Next Sunday will be "Mother Sun-  
day." Special services will be held in  
the Methodist church both in the  
afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Thos. Lee and  
Mrs. Chas. Stewart who have been  
spending the winter in Calgary re-  
turned on Tuesday morning.

A donation of \$20.75 from sent  
to J. Howard Alexander from the  
Golden Valley Local Union, U. P. A.  
No. 992, for the Red Cross Society.

Dr. R. Paul left this morning for  
Kingston, Ont., where he will visit his  
relatives.

## SCHOOL MEETING

On Saturday last a meeting  
of the ratepayers was held in  
the Methodist church for the  
purpose of discussing the school  
situation. Mr. McGorman of  
Calgary was here on behalf of  
Mr. Smith, the official trustee,  
who was unable to be present.  
In opening the meeting Mr.  
Gorman said although the meet-  
ing was called for the purpose  
of electing trustees he thought  
that at present it would not be  
wise to elect officers until there  
was a settlement made by the  
insurance companies with re-  
gard to the loss of the school  
by fire. According to the in-  
surance companies they are  
not compelled to make a settle-  
ment until sixty days after the  
fire and it would be a little over  
a week before they would really  
know what the insurance com-  
pany intend doing in the  
matter.

Evidently this meeting was  
called by request of the rate-  
payers, but only about a half  
dozen were present and most of  
these through special invitation.  
What is the matter with the  
people of Oyen? It seems as if  
no one cares a hoot whether  
there is a school or not. You  
would think the people of Oyen  
had no interest in the welfare  
of their children, otherwise they  
would show a little more en-  
thusiasm than they have in  
the education of their sons and  
daughters.

It is said that Oyen is a "one  
horse town." If this is correct  
whom to blame? Why the  
ratepayers. What else can you  
expect if the people show so  
little interest in public affairs  
as was shown last Saturday.  
The News would like to impress  
upon the citizens of Oyen that  
unless they show a little more  
enthusiasm in public affairs  
they will never get the best re-  
sults in the progress of the  
town. Wake up ye citizens and  
realize your responsibilities.

## Seven Year Old Child Accidentally Shot to Death

On Friday last the seven year  
old daughter of Mr. Jos. Gray  
of Clements district was ac-  
cidentally shot to death with a  
twenty-two rifle.

Although the information as  
to how the accident really hap-  
pened is very meagre it appears  
that Mr. Gray's children went  
to their neighbor, Mr. Chalkline,  
on arriving there they found  
Mr. Chalkline's boy out shoot-  
ing gophers, but as to how the  
accident really happened we  
are unable to find out. Dr.  
Bradford, who was called to the  
scene of the accident, said that  
the bullet had entered the right  
lung and when he arrived the  
child was dead.

## BATTLE OF ARRAS

Nine Reel Film Production at the  
Oyen Theatre on Monday and  
Tuesday, May 13-14

These war pictures have  
been taken under the direction  
of Lord Beaverbrook, and they  
show in a most remarkable and  
realistic way the actual opera-  
tions at the front. The retreat  
of the Germans and the Cana-  
dians at Vimy Ridge will be  
shown. Many of your friends  
will be seen in this picture.  
The most marvelous war film  
ever shown. Don't fail to see  
this film on Monday and Tues-  
day, May 13-14.  
First class programme for  
Saturday night including com-  
edy reels.

**Rainy Season Is Here**  
Do not be caught in a shower unpre-  
pared. See our line of Raincoats and  
Slickers. All sizes all kinds,  
all prices.  
Mrs. Raeburn of Calgary will show her line of  
New Up-to-date Millinery at our Store on Saturday,  
May 11th.  
You are cordially invited to call.  
Just received a shipment of  
**Wee McGregor Potatoes**  
Just what you want for Seed. These potatoes  
are Alberta grown.  
**Price by the Bag at \$1.85 bushel**  
**\$1.70 per bushel in 10 bushel lots**  
**S. A. Miller & Co.**

**Spring Clothing Sale**  
Ends May 15th.  
**Only 6 Selling Days Left**  
**\$8.50 Work Boots \$5.95**  
Made of Selected Chrome tan Elk with solid  
leather Counters and Box toes, standard sew and  
sewn soles. Regular \$8.50 Sale Price \$5.95  
**\$25 Suits for \$12.50**  
Men's Suits of English Serge and worsteds in  
new styles, perfectly tailored and finished, 15 only  
at less than cost. Reg. \$29 and \$25 Sale Price \$12.50  
**Stetson Hats \$4.95**  
These Stetson Hats in Columbia and Bruns-  
wick shapes will go quickly, only 3 dozen in the lot  
in colors of black, fawn, grey and Brown, regular  
\$6. Sale Price \$4.95

**Men's Overalls \$1.45**  
Made of blue stripe steeled in heavy weight and  
worth today \$2.25. These are a genuine snap, so  
hurry if you want them. Smocks to match.  
Sale Price \$1.45

Goods advertised as sale specials  
are picked from Regular Stock and  
are genuine bargains. We guaran-  
tee satisfaction or your money back.

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Saturday Night

Tuesday Night

Nine Reel Film Production of

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Monday and Tuesday, May 13-14.

Show starts at 9 p. m.

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I can also supply a cheaper share  
the "STAR"

**Donald McKay,**  
General Blacksmith

Oyen

Alta.

**THE OYEN NEWS  
OYEN, ALBERTA.**

Wednesday, May 8

... This newspaper has enlisted  
with the government in the  
cause of Canada for the period  
of the War : : : : :

**LAWS REGULATING BILLIARD  
ROOMS**

We read in the Calgary Herald last  
week with the greatest astonishment  
of a decision on the part of the licensing  
department at Edmonton, to prohibit  
billiard room proprietors from  
selling soft drinks and candies, and  
are at a loss to understand the necessity  
for such a regulation, or fail to  
see any good in it going to accomplish.  
Why refuse the privilege of  
dealing in these commodities, especially  
when the sale of them is particularly  
popular by anyone else, to only one class?  
What is the answer? It is taking  
the business and means of five-  
thousand of white men's hands and  
placing it in the hands of those  
Greeks and Chinamen. Our billiard  
hall here is as it must be shuttily  
in most villages and small towns, and  
most indispensable convenience to  
most of the farmers in the surrounding  
district, who conduct quite a great  
deal of their business in terms in the  
billiard hall, where writing material  
is always available, cigars can be  
smoked after banking hours, and  
the farmer in many cases twenty-four  
hours of a week, with it is a considerable  
thing in these greater production days  
and high wages. The farmer finds  
it has a good place to hunt for help  
in the spring and fall seasons. It  
is a thing to select this business  
for such stringent regulations at this  
time, as it undoubtedly will force  
many of them to small towns out of  
business completely. In the periods  
of spring and fall work soft drinks,  
candy and tobacco is the only profitable  
business done, as there is practically  
no buying done in these seasons  
of the year, the men being too  
busy on the farms to have time to  
spend in a saloon. A strong protest  
should be made to our legislators  
against the glaring injustice of this  
order.

**PARCELS SENT TO AMERICAN  
SOLDIERS**

Postmasters are informed that parcels  
for members of the United States  
Expeditionary forces in Europe must  
not be dispatched unless they contain  
articles only as are being sent  
at the written request of the addressee  
approved by his regimental or  
higher commander or an executive  
officer of the organization with which  
he is connected.  
These instructions are issued on account  
of an order from the United States  
War Department.

**WASTE IS NOW ILLEGAL**

Anybody who discovers cases "of  
waste of food may notify the legal  
authorities, who have power under  
the new order to take action. Willful  
or careless waste has become illegal,  
and municipalities who secure the conviction  
receive half the fine, while  
provincial officers securing the conviction  
receive half the fine for the province.

Loafing is now illegal. All persons  
domiciled in this country are now  
supposed to work or show cause why  
they are idle, according to the new  
Order in Council. The law applies to  
all between the ages of 16 and 60,  
and heavy penalties are imposed  
against offenders.

**R. M. of Cereal**

Council met at Oyen, on May 1st,  
1918.

Present: Reeve Ad, Deputy Reeve  
Roraback.

Tupper-That minutes of meeting  
of March 13 be accepted as read.

Abbott-That we appoint six weed  
inspectors, one for each division at  
\$7.50 per day for the year 1918.

Cottrell-That we borrow \$10,000,  
or so much thereof as is needed to  
pay for feed grain.

Taylor-That Bylaw No. 26 relating  
to the granting of feed grain be read  
the first time.

Tupper-That secretary be instructed  
to have notice put in Oyen News  
instructing ratepayers that if they  
have to have feed oats to work un-  
patented land that they apply to  
Deane Walker, Immigration Agent,  
Winnipeg, Man.

Cottrell-On request of the Oyen  
Farmers Telephone Co. permission is  
hereby granted to them to use the  
highways of the municipality on

which to erect the poles.

Roraback-That Bylaw No. 24 be  
read a second time.

Tupper-That we borrow the sum  
of \$1,000 on Feed Grain Bylaw No. 13  
to pay balance of seed grain given to  
farmers from bank of Oyen,  
Oyen.

Tupper-That we accept resignation  
of St. Olen as pound keeper and  
appoint W. Weeks as pound keeper  
for District No. 6.

Roraback-That we order from the  
Canada Import Co. two No. 3 Horse  
road drags at the price of \$41 each as  
per contract.

Tupper-That we order from G. A.  
Morrison 576 packets of sugar poison.

Taylor-That the rate to be paid  
for roadwork in 1918 be as follows:  
Laborer, \$2.50 per day; road foreman,  
\$4.50 per day; man and team, \$7.00  
per day; man and four horses, \$15.00  
per day.

Roraback-That we expend the sum  
of \$1,000 on the various roads in this  
municipality in the 1918.

Abbott-That the following amounts  
be passed and paid to the following  
as per contract:

Greenmount .....	\$100.00
Fairview Valley .....	\$100.00
St. Olen .....	\$100.00
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St. Olen .....	\$100.00
St. Olen .....	\$100.00

for current expenses.

Abbott-That Bylaw No. 26 be read  
the second and final time.

Roraback-That we borrow from  
the bank of Oyen the sum of \$1,000  
per a short purpose.

Tupper-That the following bills  
be passed and ordered paid:

Joy Clements, salary for search and April .....	\$250.00
St. Olen, rent for March and April .....	\$30.00
G. A. Morrison, gopher life .....	\$10.00
G. J. Kelly, law fee .....	\$2.00
St. Olen, 1918 roadwork .....	\$400.00
G. H. Clements, 1918 roadwork .....	\$10.00
Donald McKay, blacksmithing .....	\$2.50

to Abbott, seedling and  
mileage .....

W. J. Adams, meetings and mile-  
age .....

J. A. Taylor, meetings and  
mileage .....

J. A. Roraback, meetings and  
mileage .....

J. A. Roraback, expenses at  
seminary .....

J. A. Roraback, expenses at con-  
vention .....

Vanish .....

Taylor-That we now adjourn to  
meet again at Oyen, Oyen, on May 15th.

**Unreserved  
Auction Sale**

Owing to Shortage of Range.

The undersigned will sell by auction Sec. 16-24-S, w. 4,  
20 miles south and 9 miles west of Oyen 14 miles  
north of the Ferry, on

**On Tuesday, May 21st  
100 head Horses**



70 Mares, from 4 to 6 yrs., 1100 to 1400 lbs  
30 Gelding, 9 to 5 yrs., 1100 to 1400 lbs.

These horses are heavy boned, good color qual-  
ity and action. Anyone needing horses should attend  
this sale.

Free Lunch Before Sale.

**TERMS:** Time will be given until Dec. 1st, 1919, pur-  
chaser furnishing approved security, drawing 8 p.c. interest  
from date. Ten p.c. off for cash. Those from a distance  
wishing to buy on time please bring Bank reference.

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—the only separator that will skim your milk quicker when you turn faster  
—the only separator with just one piece in the bowl—no dish, washer or cone  
—the only separator with low-loss supply tank and once-month oiling

Take a trip into our local agent's store today and see for yourself the above exclusive Sharples advantages and what they mean to you in cream saved and in convenience.

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OYEN, ALBERTA

## Vast Issues Depend Upon the Welfare of Our Men.



Cheer Up and Thank God for the Y.M.C.A.

TRY to picture yourself in the muddy cold trenches after exciting days and long nights of mortal danger and intense nervous strain. Rushing "whizz-bangs" and screaming "cool boxes" are no respecters of persons. You are hit! But despite shock and pain you still can face the long weary trudge back to dressing station. Weary, overworked and depressed, you are prey to wild imaginings of that other command order with the surgeon. There are other "walking wounded," too! You must wait, wait, wait. And then—

Up comes a cheery Y.M.C.A. man, the ever-present "big brother" to the soldier, with words of many encouragement. Close beside the dressing station the good-looking folks at home have enabled him to set up a canteen. He hands you biscuits, and chocolate or coffee.

## Y.M.C.A.

## Red Triangle Fund

\$2,250,000, May 7, 8, 9

Canada-Wide Appeal

"In thousands of cases," writes an officer, "it was that first hot cup of coffee that dragged the man back to life and sanity." The tremendous helpfulness of the Y.M.C.A. as an aid to the "morale," or fighting spirit, of the soldiers is everywhere praised. No wonder the Germans make every effort to smash the Y.M.C.A. luts out of existence.

The Y.M.C.A. is everywhere. You first met the helpful, many Y.M.C.A. worker in camp, then on train and boat, at camp in England and in France, close to the firing line. Often can he risk his life to reach you in the trenches. He has won the warmest praise from military authorities, statesmen—the King! Have you a precious boy at the front? You cannot be "over there" to guide him away from fierce temptations of camp and city. You cannot comfort him in his supreme hour of trial. Your parcels to him are necessarily few. But the Y.M.C.A., thank God, is "over there," going where you cannot go—doing the very things you long to do—doing it for you and for him. Will you help? This vast organization of helpfulness needs at least \$2,250,000 from Canada for 1918. For your boy's sake be GENEROUS!

National Council, Young Men's Christian Association  
Campaign Directors for Western Canada

British Columbia: J. S. Rankin, 607 Board of Trade Bldg., Vancouver  
Alberta: John Hanna, 1111 11th St., Calgary  
Saskatchewan: T. D. Patton, Y.M.C.A., Regina  
Manitoba: J. H. Crocker, 1106 McArthur Bldg., Winnipeg

## Additional Locals

Private Jack Pittman, accompanied by his sister Emily, left for Calgary this morning. They have been visiting at the Albert College home.

J. Cooper, a former Oyen butcher, was down from Calgary on last Saturday.

Quint M. A. Dixon, 15324, Royal Air Force, is now on solo flying at the finishing camp, Borden, Ontario.

The council authorized some extensive road grading in Oyen. Second Avenue East has already been graded.

Owing to the light generating plant being closed, there will not be any cinema shows at the Oyen opera house, until the current is switched on.

L. C. Michaels, of Palmarosa, was in Alaska last week having some dental work done by Dr. George Taylor.

Edgar Dial has entered the Calgary Canadian contest and is working hard to win the premier award, an automobile.

J. D. Armstrong, Rasmus J. Hanson, E. Hogan, N. W. Kemp, H. Lawrence Patterson, and J. Stovort are recent purchasers of Ford cars from the local dealers, the Peterson Motor Company.

Warren Stains, depot agent at Lathin, was in town on Saturday last.

The Oyen Electric Company closed its plant on Thursday last for repairs. A concrete foundation is being put under some of the machinery. The current will likely be turned on tomorrow night.

M. M. McDonald has received word that his brother Alice, who is a sergeant

has left England and is again in France.

Oyen has its quota of newshy, the men of tomorrow. Arthur Beckett, his customers weekly with Saturday. Hilda, Chicago Ladies' and Leon Scott, Edgar Dial, who is the town's oldest newshy, still delivers the Saturday Star to his charter, each Saturday with the Saturday Evening Post. Frank Todd is the second boy to enter the profession here. He handles several papers, namely: Calgary Canadian, the Daily Herald, and Bob Edwards' well-known sheet, the Eye Opener.

Clarence Peterson, R.N.W.M.P., left Calgary last week with the rest of the mountain, and is now in doubling up the chicks giving 15 to 18 to each hen.

L. C. Cook motored to Alaska last Thursday with an automobile load of friends. B. W. Moore and F. E. Todd also went.

May 19 will be observed as Arbor Day. The council has decided to plant trees by the Nebraska State Board of Agriculture in 1918, so that the voluntary planting of trees could be encouraged.

The Canadian Northern, according to the exchanges, will spend considerable money in better the roadbed of the Goose Lake line this summer. Passing trucks and ballast will be the chief improvement.

Mrs. Nellie McChing will lecture on the subject, "Women as Last Resort," in the Oyen Opera House on Wednesday, June 5.

Mrs. A. McChing has returned from a short visit with relatives at Seamus Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kennedy were guests at the W. T. A. Walker home last week.

S. Pollock, teller at the Bank of Toronto branch here, was in Calgary over the weekend, where he was called to appear before the municipal board.

School Inspector McGowan was in town on Saturday afternoon last and attended the school meeting.

Dr. H. C. Stewart, D.C., is established in the office recently vacated by W. J. Robinson, John Deere agent, who is now located in Port Deserai, West.

B. F. Vanhorne has purchased the farm of Jay Stearns, which is on Sandring Creek.

E. Shuley, cashier at the station, has left for Edmonton and Calgary, where he intends spending a few days, before he departs for the east.

He will later enlist in the Canadian artillery.

Leonard Harris has received an order to report at Victoria Barracks on May 20, according to information given to The Oyen News by a soldier friend.

W. Pittsman and W. Seckman, auctioneers from Hanna, were registered at the Alberta Hotel last Thursday.

As the eastbound passenger was three hours late on Friday, many citizens had the opportunity of greeting two coach loads of soldiers that were bound for somewhere. It was a draft from Calgary.

Frank Crockett is now a mail clerk on the Grand Trunk Pacific between Edmonton and Ebor.

R. C. King, 1421 1st Street, will sell by public auction all farm implements and stock at his farm on Thursday, May 23. It will be one of the big credit sales in this district.

H. H. Dial will wield the hammer.

## Red Cross Report

\$200.00 has been sent to the Provincial Branch of the Red Cross Society, also 115 worth of kit bags and \$50 to the Prisoners of War.

Goods shipped to Canadian Red Cross Society, Calgary, May 3, 1918, from Oyen Branch:

25 pairs socks, 9 shirts, 20 many-lasted bandages, 15 omelette wringers, 37 towels, 2 convalescent ropes, 21 pillow slips, 77 bandages, 2 nurses' aprons, 6 kit bags, 15 comfort bags, 11 amputation bags, 1 scarf, 5 triangular bandages, 4 bed pan covers, 3 wooden binders, 1 pair pyjamas, 2 cotton binders, 1 holdall, 12 personal property bags.

The Oyen Red Cross Society will meet on Thursday May 9.

The Oyen Red Cross Society has 250 active members, 11 life members, 19 associate members, and are still anxious to get new members. If you have not joined see the secretary.

**PRIVATE A. E. BRIDGES HOME**  
Private Bridges, who went overseas with the 2nd Battalion over two years ago and has been in the front line, is now at the 4th, has returned to his home at Acadia Valley after spending a month at the convalescent home, Calgary. He wears two gold stripes on his left arm signifying that he has twice been wounded.

## \$85.00 FOR HOT DRINKS

\$85.00 was spent for hot drinks for the soldier boys by the Red Triangle last year. In the advanced area, the Y.M.C.A. hands refreshments, and these in dugouts, supplies are sold with the exception of hot drinks, which are given free.

BROODING METHODS  
FOR CHICKEN RAISERS

(Experimental Farms Note.)

If less than 100 chicks are to be brooded the old natural means will answer; if more, the artificial means are to be preferred.

**Natural Brooding**  
Some hens never make good mothers. If the sitting hen is not suitable, transfer some of the eggs before hatching to one that is, if you have her.

**Free from Lice**—Treat the mother hen for lice several times before the chicks hatch, and make sure there are no nits.

**Double Up**—Have the chicks come out several broods at a time and double up the chicks giving 15 to 18 to each hen.

**Small "A"**—Small "A" are good for several hens and their broods. Where hens agree, larger cops or colony houses may serve the purpose.

**Keep the broods away from the general flock**. Move the coop frequently. Watch it when out when the chicks are small, and especially early in the morning.

**Artificial Brooding**  
Of artificial brooding there is quite a variety, both good and bad. Any brooder should provide a temperature of 75 to 100 degrees under the hovers. It should have good ventilation and draughts, and it should be easily cleaned.

**Individual Brooders**—Scaled-out brooders are not always satisfactory, being too small and lacking ventilation.

**Isador brooders** are better as the brood accommodation can be made to suit conditions. Where there is too much wind for the lamp outside, try it inside the coop. The indoor electric heater gives the best of satisfaction. Cold brooders are satisfactory if not used too early and the number of chicks is limited.

**Emergency Brooders**—There are three when even the best managed plant is short of brooder space and emergency quarters have to be arranged. Sometimes the services of several brooders can be utilized at such a time. This, however, cannot always be depended upon and a lantern or a hot water bottle placed in a box and covered over with sucking will sometimes help one over a hard place. Small coal oil stoves and electric heaters may also be used for the purpose or one can resort to the cold brooder.

**SHOULD SEND POSTAL NOTE**  
With regard to the arrangement of the monthly correspondence of a family and family name can be forwarded from individuals in Canada to persons in England and many occupied territory through the medium of The Cook & Son, 530 St. Catherine Street West, Montreal, directly in being caused owing to person receiving the charge for forwarding these letters (see) by postage stamps instead of a note, a note for 10 cents with three in postage is placed there.

The attention of persons sending this correspondence is particularly directed to this, as in future where the charges are remitted by means of postage stamps the letters will be returned to the senders.

**The Model TOWN**

**the paint protected town**

THE finest town buildings soon get to look "dingy" if they are not kept painted.

Whereas this, the on-spring of the Spring painting leaves them open to weather-attack and time's decay.

And—with materials so high as to make every building worth double today what it was worth in 1915—you are making a mistake if you let a building "go to seed."

Have your town a "model" town—have it fresh with paint—have it protected with a paint that affords real protection—

**B-H PAINT**

If this paint were sold at a price half as high as any other (which it isn't) it would still be the economical paint to use on your house. It's never covering capacity is no equal. A gallon of it goes so far that you'll buy half if not more with it. Paint with B-H-ENGLISH PAINT this spring, and your house is protected for years, where a coat of ordinary paint will last but a few months.

The difference lies in the above formula basis. What other paint is so correct in this formula that it makes no guarantee? What paint can it for or furnish you that has anything like the quantity of white lead in it that has B-H-English?

This was the formula when lead was lower in price—in the formula you still even though lead is extremely high in price, it is printed right on the B-H cans. We could not cheapen B-H paint, for it is the best paint on the market. So let your safe paint as to quality, your sure paint as to covering capacity, your dependable paint as to durability. Find the B-H dealer in your town. He'll be glad to buy from.

**Other B-H Products of Sterling Worth**

We carry and recommend the following B-H products:

**For Interior Finishing**  
"China-Lac"—the perfect Varnish  
"Plaster"—a flat-tone oil paint.

**Staining the Roof**  
"Anchor Brand Staining Stain" in 12 distinct colors.

**B-H Porch Floor Paint**  
For Porch Floors, Ceilings and parts exposed to weather.

**For Barns and Outbuildings**  
"Insect-Repellent" for interior floors.

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**Acheson Hardware Co.**  
OYEN — ALBERTA

**BRANDMAN HENDERSON**  
NATIONAL HARDWARE CO. 1000 TORONTO STREET, TORONTO, ONTARIO

# AUCTION SALE

## Of Valuable Farm Stock and Implements

Having been favored with instructions from C. B. COOK to sell

ON

# WEDNESDAY MAY 15, '18.

COMMENCING AT 1 P.M.

**On Sec. 31-26-4 west fourth**  
Six miles South of Oyen

*The following will be Auctioned:*

## 14 HEAD OF HORSES 14

1 team geldings, 7 and 9 yrs. old  
2800 lbs  
1 mare, in foal, 1400 lbs  
1 gelding, 7 yrs old, 1300 lbs  
3 3-year-old colts, broken

1 mare 5 yrs. old, 1200 lbs  
1 mare 7 yrs. old, 1200 lbs  
1 gelding 6 yrs. old 1100 lbs  
1 2-yr.-old filly  
1 2-yr.-old gelding

2 1-yr.-old colts

32 HEAD OF YOUNG CATTLE 32  
10 head of 2-year old heifers  
22 head of yearlings

### MACHINERY

1 12-inch Great West gang, both bottoms; 14-inch Great West sulky, breaker; 16-16 Hamilton disc, in and out throw; Deering binder, 8-ft. cut; Hay rake, 10-ft.; Deering mower, 5-ft cut; New Massey-Harris 20 double disc drill; New Massey cultivator, 10-ft.; Surface packer, 22 wheels; New Deal wagon with box; 4 1-4 Bain with 150 bushel tank; 2 sets of sleighs; truck wagon; Buggy; Empire cream separator; A quantity of household furniture, all new. 200 chickens. 6 sets of harness.

Mr. Cook has donated to the Oyen Red Cross Society an Axminster Rug, value \$100, which will be sold at this sale

## Lunch Served by Members of the Red Cross Society

### TERMS:

All sums under \$25.00, cash. Over that amount credit will be given by furnishing approved joint lien note or bankable paper due December 1st, 1918, bearing interest at 8 per cent. per annum until due. A discount of 7 per cent. will be given on credit amounts.

**C. B. COOK, owner    B. H. DIAL, Auctioneer**

Total Assets  
Over  
\$84,000,000



### PRODUCTION

If you need any money to assist you in your farming operations consult us. We make advances for that purpose to responsible men. Commercial, Municipal and other business accounts invited.

## THE BANK OF TORONTO

Oyen Branch  
B. E. KELLY, Manager.

### Oyen Harness and Shoe Store

We Specialize in Men's Shoes

"Slater" dress shoes from \$6.50

Work shoes from \$3.50

Canvas shoes from \$2.25

Repairs promptly attended to.

**Thos. Thompson,**

The Harness Boot and Shoe Store  
OYEN, Alberta

## KEEP - SMILING

Says J. J. Holloway, Butcher, Oyen

## KEEP - SMILING

ADVERTISE IN THE OYEN NEWS

### BANK of HAMILTON

Established 1872  
Capital Authorized, \$5,000,000  
Capital Paid-up, \$3,000,000  
Surplus, \$3,500,000

#### The Farmers' Convenience

The Bank of Hamilton is always ready and glad to help the farmer regarding his Cattle Business, Sale of Notes, Drafts or Deposits. Consultation invited.

BANK of HAMILTON  
OYEN BRANCH  
G. J. Gibson, Manager

### PROFESSIONAL CARDS

#### DR. A. BRADFORD, PHYSICIAN & SURGEON.

Hon. Fellow Trinity Med. Coll. Tor. Honor Graduate Trinity Univ. Tor. Licentiate Royal College Surg. Edin. Honorary Royal College Surg. Eng. Fellow of the Obstetrical Soc. London Post Graduate London, Edinburgh, Dublin and New York Hospitals. Office. Next to the Postoffice, Oyen

#### Dr. R. R. Paul, Physician and Surgeon

Graduate Queen's University, Kingston. Post Graduate Metropolitan Hos., New York City. New York Lying In Hos., 2nd Ave., and The St. Mary's Hospital, Rochester, N.Y. Recently a Lieutenant in the Royal Army Medical Corp serving in the present war. Office and residence—House formerly occupied by P. H. Peterson. 2nd Avenue Oyen

#### John P. Kerr, Veterinary Surgeon

Graduate of Ontario Veterinary College. Main St. Oyen, Alta.

#### F. C. McClean, Barrister, Solicitor, Notary Public

Agent for Holland-Canada Mortgage Co. and Netherlands Transatlantic Mortgage Company. Oyen Alberta

#### J. J. Kelly, L. L. B.

Barrister, Solicitor and Notary Public. Money to Loan. Oyen, Alberta

#### W. M. ROBBE, Licensed Auctioneer

Terms and date can be had on application by calling at the Oyen News Office or writing to Merryland. Merryland, Alta.

#### Sacred Heart Church.

Regular services will be held First and Third Sundays in each month at 10 a.m. Rev. W. F. Bowlen.

#### OYEN METHODIST CHURCH

Next Sunday  
Praying Service 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday School 2:30 p.m.  
Bryus 11 a.m.  
Benton School 3:00 p.m.  
Rev. S. D. Webster, Pastor

#### Knights of Pythias.

OYEN LODGE, No. 16, meets on the second and fourth Fridays of every month, in their Castle Hall, Opera House, Oyen. Visiting members are cordially invited to attend. E. H. Harbour, C.C. J. H. Alexander, K.R. & A.

#### Dr. A. T. SPANKIE

M.D., C.M.  
Eye, Nose, Ear & Throat Specialist. OFFICE: Suite 121-122, New P. Burns Buildings corner 8th Ave. and 2nd St. East, CALGARY. Phones: Office M2618, House M2077. Interns: House Surgeon Manhattan Eye, Ear, Nose & Throat Hospital, New York City, 1911-1914. Specialist to Calgary School Board.

#### NOTICE

In the matter of Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Rural Municipality of Golden Center No. 272. Take Notice that a Judge of the District Court of Calgary will at the sittings of the court on Thursday the 10th day of May, 1916, in the Village of Youngstown, confirm the Tax Enforcement Return of the Rural Municipality of Golden Center, No. 272. Ralph Greene, Sec. Treas. R.M. of Golden Center, No. 272

#### Notice.

The office of the R.M. of Cereal will be open every day of the week except Friday, from 9.00 a.m. till 5.00 p.m.

#### THEY SAY THAT

Your health depends on good teeth. Don't neglect them. Dr. Taylor, Alaska.

Mrs. A. MacArthur has returned from Vancouver where she has been for the last four months.

Dr. Paul and Swartzlander performed an operation for appendicitis at the Oyen hospital Saturday night, first surgical case in this town.

J. G. Gibson and W. A. Toare made a trip to Alaska last Sunday.

Get your tickets for the Famous Bostonians at J. W. Cruick's Jewellery store.

KESWICK and, Ch., m. A T

The K. L. K. Red Cross, bunch is enjoying what would be termed in military language a spring drive. Beginning at its most northern base—Oyen—coming south, and reaching the home of Mrs. H. E. Damply, Keswick, Thursday afternoon, 28th of April, with a full army of enthusiastic and efficient workers. An invitation which was heartily accepted from Mrs. C. Godfrey, Keswick, for May the 9th, will bring the drive to its most southern limit. A western advance is the future anticipation of its members.

Socks has been the main issue in this effort and Mrs. Damply the Banner Knitter.

Keswick reports the patriotic fact of contributing four volunteer young heroes to the Empire. Two have the winning phrase, "Killed in Action" added to their sacrifice. One a prisoner of war in Germany, and one, though having been wounded, fights on with untiring zeal.

News has come to hand of the tender death at Regina of Miss Peterson, youngest and beloved sister of Mrs. C. Godfrey, of Keswick.

Miss Peterson was well known in different parts of Ontario and Alberta as a leader and worker in religious branches of church work.

Her beautiful Christian life is a valuable memory to her aged mother and numberless friends.

**I have a good supply of Wood Bars**  
Harrow and harrow carts, which I can supply at exceptional low prices. See me before buying elsewhere.  
C. A. GILDERS, Oyen, Alberta

### TRACTORS

Mr. Farmer now is the time to place your order for a tractor engine. The removal of the duty has placed the medium sized tractor within easy reach of the average farmer. It is cheaper than horses. It will work longer hours. It never tires. It costs less to operate. We have three of the best kerosene tractors on the market. Come in and see our catalogue and get our prices.

**J. W. Robinson**

John Deere Agent, Oyen

### Willow Fence Posts

We have just unloaded a car of Willow Fence Posts. Also a full stock of Cedar Posts on hand at all times.

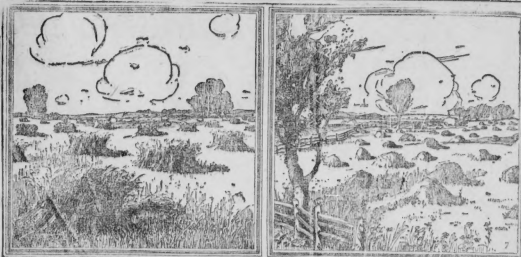
### To the Municipalities—

We would like to announce that we have received a stock of 3 inch by 12 inch 16 feet long excellent material for bridge building, culverts, etc.

"Your Lumbermen"

### Beaver Lumber Company

H. Haglund, Manager.



## The Ford Saves the Hay and Oats the Horses Eat

IT HAS been estimated that five acres of land are required to maintain one horse for a year, and that the same five acres would produce nearly enough food for two people. If 50,000 Canadian farmers each replaced one horse with a Ford, 250,000 acres would be added to the Nation's source of food supply and enough extra food made available to feed 100,000 people.

Just think what a great service this means to the country at the present time and the benefit to the farmers from the sale of food produced on this acreage.

A Ford car also saves the farmer a week or more of valuable time each year, which can be used for further productive work. The Ford travels three times as fast as a horse and rig—costs less to run and keep, and is far easier to take care of. With labor so scarce and high priced, time means money, so do not delay in getting your Ford.

**Ford**

Touring - - \$595  
Runabout - - \$575  
Coupe - - \$770  
Sedan - - \$970  
Chassis - - \$595  
One-ton Truck \$750

F. O. B. FORD, ONT.

**PETERSON MOTOR Co., Ltd.**

Dealers, OYEN







**Chas. E. BEARD,**  
Gives the Best Prices for Cattle and Hogs.  
P. O. Box 65, OYEN, ALTA.

## NOTICE . . .

Hereafter I will be resident at Calgary, Alberta where I will be prepared to give you prompt attention in any business you may have in Farm Loans, Fire and Hail Insurance. A letter will secure your prompt attention.

**W. YAKE,**

## Notice to Farmers and Trappers

We will give the highest cash prices for  
Wolf and Muskrat Skins.

**The Cooper Trading Co.,**  
Oyen, Alberta.

**Lines from \$6.75**  
**Hame Straps 30c**  
**Stewart Horse Clippers \$10**  
**Wood Hames \$2 pair**  
**Steel Hames from \$4.50**  
A shipment of enamelware just opened up  
Rubber roofing \$2.40 a roll of 108 square feet

**BATTEN BAILEY,**  
**LANFINE, ALBERTA.**

Heavy Pumps, De Laval Separators, Holland Canada Mortgage Co

## Carlyle's Ice Cream is Food

Plenty of good Confectionery. Soda Fountain and Fruit  
**A. MacArthur, Oyen, Alta.**

## The Cooper Trading Co.

Wishes to announce that a full line of Groceries, Dry Goods, Men's Wear will be on display at their new store which is at the Acadia Delicatessen old stand. Special invitation to farmers and townspeople to look over their goods and compare prices.

**Fresh Fruit in the Season.**

**Get Your Bread Daily at this Store**

## Obituary of the Late John Hestherington

In the tragic death of John Hestherington, which occurred on the morning of Monday, April 20, the country sustained a great loss. He was a man of great worth and his death by falling from a well.

The late John W. Hestherington was the eldest son of Mr. William Hestherington, who was born in the year 1841, in the County of Wexford, Ireland. He came to this country at the age of 17 and lived with his family. After residing at Oyen for 13 years, the family came to this part of the country with the intention of permanently settling here.

The deceased's worth as a citizen, and the quality of his husbandly and fatherly duties, were well known to all who knew him. He was a man of great worth and his death by falling from a well.

The funeral of the late John Hestherington, took place on Wednesday last, being largely attended by friends of the deceased. Rev. Mr. McDonald conducted the funeral service, and in a fitting manner paid tribute to the deceased. The many kind tributes and expressions of sympathy to the good-will and esteem in which Mr. Hestherington was held, and deep sympathy is extended to the family in their great sorrow. Among those who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Giddens and Mrs. Robt. Smith.

He is survived by his father and mother, two sisters, Mrs. H. Muller, Stettler, and Margaret Hestherington, his brothers, Emerson and George.

## CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. William Hestherington and family wish to thank their many friends for the kindness shown and sympathy expressed during the time of their recent bereavement.

## DEATH OF MRS. S. A. HALLETT

It is with much regret that we have to announce the death of Mrs. S. A. Hallett, of Excel, which occurred at her residence on Wednesday evening last. Mrs. Hallett had been ill for several months suffering from cancer, and although she had an operation performed last fall, yet the dread disease could not be cured, and for several weeks before her death there was little hope for her recovery. Mrs. Hallett was 55 years of age, and came to Canada six years ago, from Castleford, Gloucestershire, England.

The funeral took place last Saturday at Excel, when a large gathering of friends were present to pay their last respects to the deceased. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. D. Simpson.

He is survived by his father and mother, two sisters, Mrs. H. Muller, Stettler, and Margaret Hestherington, his brothers, Emerson and George.

## POOL ROOM AND BOWLING ALLEY REGULATIONS

Notice is hereby given that the following regulations have been duly adopted by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council:

1. Other than tobacco, no articles shall be sold or kept for sale on the licensed premises.
2. No business other than that carried on by license shall be carried on at the premises.
3. No gambling or games of chance of any kind shall be allowed.
4. Outside windows shall not be secured so as to in any degree prevent an uninterrupted view of the interior from the outside.
5. License may be suspended or revoked at any time without notice, where, in the opinion of the Attorney-General, the Act and regulations are being disregarded.
6. Application for new license, renewal or transfer of license must be first approved of, both as to character of applicant and suitability of premises, by the Mayor, Mayor or Chairman of the Board of Municipalities, or an Inspector of Provincial Police, or a Pool Room Inspector, and notice of such application published in a local newspaper once a week for at least two weeks.
7. License may be suspended or revoked at any time without notice, where, in the opinion of the Attorney-General, the Act and regulations are being disregarded.
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Edmonton, April 20th, 1918.  
A. G. HARRISON,  
Deputy Attorney General.

Oyen, Alberta, May 1st, 1918.

## The Titan Tractor Becoming Popular

During the last week the Peterson Motor Company have received several orders for the famous Titan tractor. Among those who have placed orders for this tractor during the last week are Messrs. Hanson and Anderson of Seal district and E. Berg of Sunnyside. They also received an order from J. A. MacArthur for a 15-30 Titan.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Carless spent the weekend in Medicine Hat.

## Some More Local News

## CLASSIFIED ADS.

STRAYED TO—W 17-23-5-4 George Simpson's pages 2 boys 12 years old about 4 to 7 years old, both have white hind feet, weight about 12 or 1300; smallest has a brand on right shoulder seems to be a W but hard to distinguish.

FOR SALE—raspberry and gooseberry bushes, red, white and black current slips. Also soft currant eggs. Mail orders promptly attended to. Bunches \$1 the dozen, slips 25c a dozen. Eggs \$1 per setting. Apply at Laidlaw post office or at W 13-27-5-1, John Saunders.

STRAYED—lay mare, 11 years, scar on rump, 1200 lbs, small white star in forehead, lay mare, 10 years old, 1200; lay gelding, 9 years, 1200 lbs, star and white foot; 12 year old bay gelding, white hind feet, wicket on left shoulder, 200, 400 reward. Notify J. T. Wap, 20-23-4, Ester.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—We, the undersigned, Mike Neville and Charles Byrnes, are collecting the E. A. Walker accounts in favor of the E. A. Walker Medicine Co. All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said Byrnes, please settle at once. Mike Neville, Chas. Brown.

FOR SALE—new 30-00 Runny engine, 16-50 Hart Parr and six-bottoms cockshott (flow 15). At condition. Good terms on both outfits. Peterson Motor Company.

FOR SALE—team mares, rising four years, also number wagons and other articles. C. S. Wright.

STRAYED—A bunch of Hares about six, mostly in foot. Branded H and C on left thigh. May be with a bunch of other stray hares. H. Hallman, Asella Valley, Alta.

FOR SALE—John Deere Gang, stable and breaker bottoms. Price \$45 cash—G. Nelick, west half 27-24-4, Oyen.

LOST—Black Spaniel, license tag No. 16. Finder will be rewarded if returning same to Alberta Pacific Elevator or Producers store.

FOR SALE—T good heavy work horses, also mares and geldings. Also one big cow 6 yr old, with calf. Apply Simon Crawley, 30-29-5, Excel.

Horses for Sale—Four 3 yr olds, one 1 yr old, good working stock. Also driving and saddle mare, 6 yrs—C. M. Cooke, 30-27-5.

LOST—Stuck April 20th, one mare 3 yr old light bay sex with white face, one 2 yr old dark mare with four white legs and face, halter on, and one yearling colt, black. Finder will receive \$10 reward. S. Boyes, 30-28-3, Oyen.

STRAYED—On Sec. 5-27-4 one bay gelding, black mane and tail, white face, branded C on left hip. Carl Nelson, Oyen.

FOR SALE—Ford car, 1917 model in good condition. Oyen News.

FOR SALE—Rose comb Rhode Island Red pure bred eggs for hatching, 15 for \$10.00. A. G. Thomas, 15-29-5, Oyen.

SEED OATS For Sale—1000 crop, heavy and clean seed \$1.25 bushel. Alex. Maslin, 21-24-4, Oyen.

## THESE AD SURE GET RESULTS

### Notice

In the matter of Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Rural Municipality of Excel, No. 242.

Take notice that a Judge of the District Court of Calgary will at the sittings of the Court on Friday, June 28th, 1918, in the Village of Oyen, examine the Tax Enforcement Return of the Rural Municipality of Excel No. 242.

ROY CLEMENS,  
Sec.-Treas., of R.M. of Excel No. 242

### NOTICE

Ratepayers of the R.M. of Excel, No. 242, living on unpatented land who need fee rate should apply to Bruce Warner, Immigration Agent, Winnipeg, and persons who own patented land should apply to the collector of the division in which his land is situated.

ROY CLEMENS,  
Sec.-Treas., R.M. of Excel.

Messrs. P. H. Peterson and P. J. Peterson left for Banff yesterday morning.

Messrs. R. D. Culeshaw and J. W. Adair of Excel have bought from Gibson Bros., that famous stallion, Scotland's Pride.

## Work Horses for Sale

We have several good work horses for sale at reasonable prices. These horses are in splendid shape for Spring work and well broken. We are expecting a car load of first-class horses including mares and geldings, weighing from 1300 lbs to 1600 lbs. Prices reasonable. See these horses before purchasing elsewhere.

**Gibson Bros.**  
The Old Reliable Horse Dealers

## Still More Farm Lands Wanted

We have a number of American and British Columbia Boyages, who are desirous of locating in this part of Sunny Alberta. If you have a farm to sell see us the first opportunity. Nothing too large for us to handle in Farm Lands. No sale, no charge.

Agent for Hudson's Bay Land.

## J. HOWARD ALEXANDER,

Business Broker & Notary Public,  
ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSE Money to Loan.  
Main Street, Oyen, Alta.

## Vulcanizing and Oxy-Acetylene Welding

The tires on your auto are put there for one purpose—“Comfort.” The only way to get comfort and dependability, is to have them Vulcanized.

One 31x4 second hand Casing for sale—cheap.

We have installed Free Air. You are invited to help yourself. Square Deal and Service.

**Briggs Tire Repair Company,**  
Oyen \* \* \* \* \* Alta.

## AUTOMOBILES

We carry a full line of accessories and repairs for the Ford Car.

Owing to lack of space we will be unable, until next Fall, to provide service or storage facilities for other makes of cars than the Ford.

We have however, a complete stock of tires, tubes, headlights, lens, etc., for all makes of cars, which we offer to you at lowest market prices. Gasoline, Oil, and Grease always on hand.

## MCCORMICK MACHINERY

We have just received a carload of Oliver plows and Cultivators, and have also a complete stock of wagons and wagon boxes. Order your Mower and Binder repairs early. Agent for Tractors and Threshers

## OUR SERVICE MEANS YOUR SATISFACTION

**Peterson Motor Co., Ltd.**

## Massey-Harris Farm Implements!

Good plowing counts

## USE THE

The Best For The West

We can supply

**W. A. Teare, Dealer, Oyen**